Marine Corps Installations East Contracting PR Builder

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Procurement Request Builder (PR Builder)

Financial Systems Interface: PR Builder has the ability to interface to the SABRS accounting system to automate the commitment process for all goods and services that will be purchased utilizing a contract. This automation reduces the Fiscal Users' work efforts by eliminating the need to manually commit funds in SABRS. In addition, it should reduce USMC-wide pre-validation failures in the Samplet SABRS Compatible Workflow

(non-contractual)

- SSgt Johns (Requirements User/Fiscal User)
- Capt Myers (Financial Approver)
- SABRS

Automated use of Lines of Accounting/FIP through use of the SABRS interface

SPS/PD2 Interface: PR Builder has the capability to interface with the Standard Procurement System (SPS) which automates the contract writing process. PR Builder sends purchase requests information to SPS for automated database upload to the Procurement Desktop Defense (PD2). Sample Workflow in PR Builder (contractual)

- SSgt Johns (Fiscal User)
- Contract Compliance Dept.
- Capt Myers (Financial Approve)
- SABRS
- Purchasing and Contracting Office

(Contracting Manager)

• Spstomates the procurement process through the use of the PR Builder-SPS interface

- Tracking Log: All historical data related to a purchase request is stored electronically. The "Tracking Log" also shows the current status of a purchase request.
- Customizable Workflows: Units can establish different workflows or approval threads for routing purchase requests. Workflows are defined according to a unit's business process.
- **E-mail Notifications:** Users are notified of actions taken on a purchase request by e-mail, users are updated of document status via this feature.
- Search Capability: Users can search previous purchase requests for pricing and other information.
- **Document Attachment:** Users can upload documents (i.e. SOW, product descriptions, etc.) with their purchase requests. The attachment will be available to all members of the workflow
- Reporting Capabilities: Useful tool that can help with collecting metrics for each sites. This also helps tracking documents in PR Builder
- Miscellaneous Pay: A non-contractual document used for vendor payment and personal reimbursement
- Address Book: Shipping and Vendor information

Benefits of using PR Builder:

- Automated paperless document transmission
- Tracking and managing of purchase requests electronically
- Standardized within USMC
- Management tool visibility of procurement activity for business leaders both locally and at the enterprise level
- Flexibility to accommodate different process flows across various
 USMC activities (regardless of LAN, geographic location)
- 24 hours level 1 help desk support
- Fully web based, no need to install and / or maintain equipment or software locally
- Self-registration users can initiate account by registering online requires PKI certificate or CAC

USER ROLES

Requirements User	 Creates and routes purchase requests/funding documents for approval Enters data on purchase requests, cannot add funding data unless they have a Fiscal User role 			
Approver	 Can be another stakeholder to enter other requirements (Specifications, SOW, etc.) Can be someone that is required to review the document before moving on to the approval thread 			
Fiscal User	♦ Add funding data to purchase requests/funding documents			
(11111111111111	◆ Create and manage their own funding data (FIPs, LOAs)			
///////////////////////////////////////	Required user in a SABRS compatible workflow			
Financial	◆ Ensures that FIP assigned to purchase request is valid			
Approver	◆ Add funding data to purchase requests if necessary			
	◆ Required user in a SABRS compatible workflow			
	◆ Approval on document triggers the interface between PR Builder and SABRS			
Fund Holder	◆ Ensures that FIP assigned to funding document is valid			
Approving Official (FHAO)	◆ Add funding data to funding documents if necessary			
- NEW	Required user in a SABRS compatible workflow			
	◆ Approval on funding documents triggers the interface between PR Builder and SABRS			
Workflow Manager	◆ Administers users, workflows, and DODAACs and business processes of their unit or organization within the PR Builder system			
Contracting Manager	 ◆ Each Contracting Office's final approver is assigned this role. ◆ It enables them to send their purchase requests to the SPS/PD2 database 			

USER ROLES

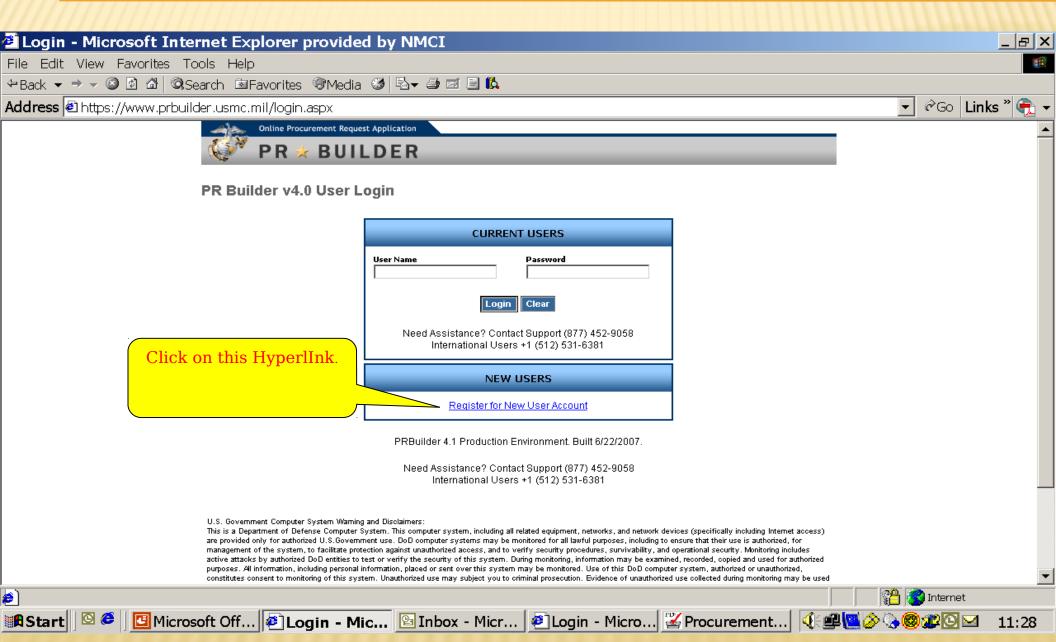
- Requirements Users Key Responsibilities
 - Creating and routing of PRs, FDs and MiscPay documents
 - Daily monitoring of document status by checking e-mail notifications and PRBuilder inbox
 - Upload appropriate requirements documents i.e. SOW, specifications, etc upon routing documents
 - Ensure document gets approved completely
 - Reroute documents to appropriate workflow thread if disapproved
 - Request appropriate workflows from Workflow Managers
 - Create modifications to all documents

DOCUMENT TYPES - PR FORM

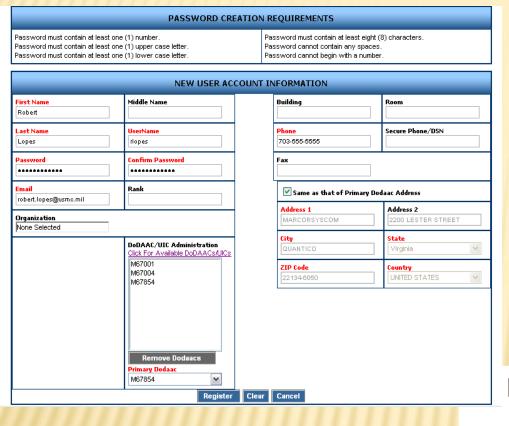
- PR Functionality
 - Route for Review
 - Route for Information
 - Route for Approval
 - Modification
 - Subject to Availability of Funding
 - Send to SABRS for Financial Validation
 - Send to SPS/PD2 for contracting purposes

- Functions within the PR
 - Email as PDF format
 - Copy to create new documents (i.e. create templates, use old documents)
 - Move from one cabinet to the other
 - Delete if a mistake has been made (only In-process documents that were NEVER routed before
 - Upload Attachments
 - Recall Route
 (Routed by mistake, need to add additional information, etc.
 Documents that in the SABRS system for validation cannot be recalled)

ACCOUNT ACCESS



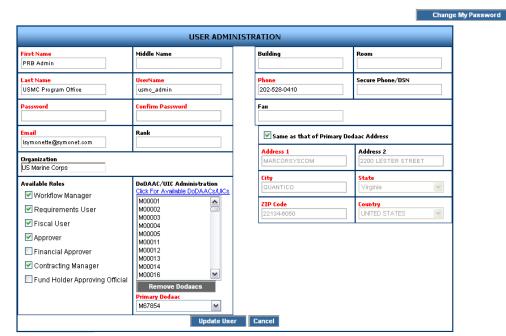
ACCOUNT ACCESS



Requirements for account registration:

- Access to the Internet, PR Builder is web-based
- Internet Explorer version 6.0 or higher.
 - *Netscape is not compatible with PR Builder
- Valid e-mail address, phone and address
- Valid DODAAC/UIC/RUC
- Choose a Username not case sensitive
 - Choose a Password At least 8 character password with at least 1 number, 1 uppercase letter and 1 lowercase letter (i.e. Prbuilder1). Passwords are case sensitive

USER ADMINISTRATION PAGE



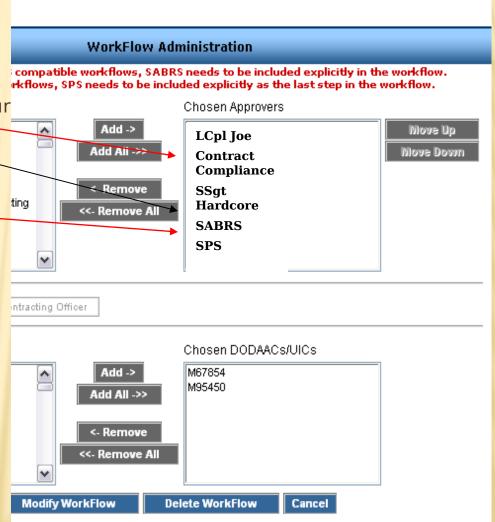
- Primary DoDAAC assignment, address defaults to DODAAC address
- Inactivate/Activate User (for Workflow Managers)
- Assign User Roles (for Workflow Managers)
- Change Passwords
- Change Email Address



WORKFLOW ADMINISTRATION

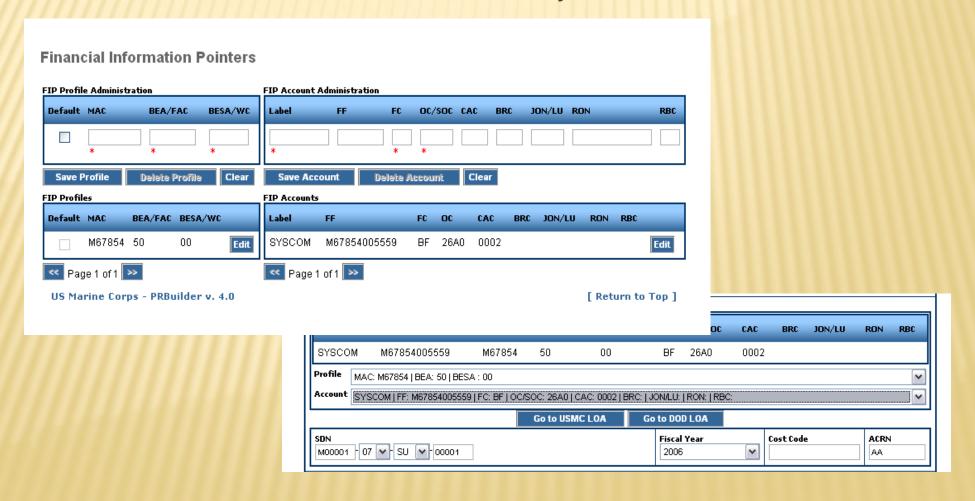
Workflow Administration

- "Contract Compliance Dept." is a system that approves or disapproves your purchase request.
- "SABRS" is a system user that must be added within the workflow
- "SPS" is a system user and must be added as the final approver to any new SPS compatible workflow.



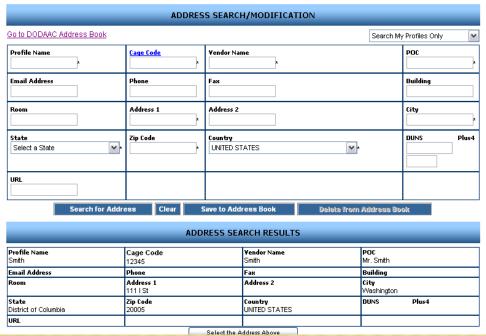
FIP ADMINISTRATION

- Fiscal User/Financial Approver/FHAO User Roles
 - FIP Profile and FIP Account Administration are combined in one page
 - FIP Accounts can be labeled for easy identification



ADDRESS BOOK

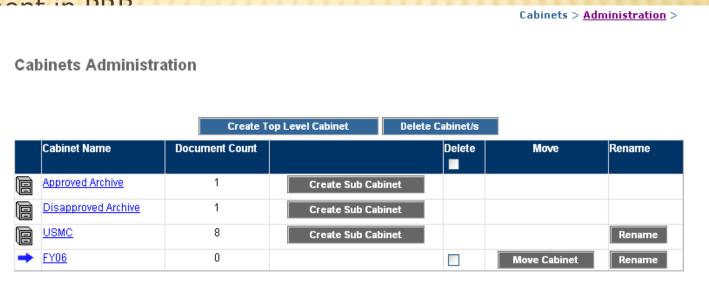
- Shipping Addresses DODAAC addresses from the DAASC database
- Recommended Sources of Supply Vendor addresses (Recommended Sources of Supply) from the CCR database



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Mailing Address (TAC2) Go to Vendor Address Book Search My Profiles Only							
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Phone	Fax	Building			Room		
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State Select a State	Zip Code	Country UNITED S	ry ED STATES			Activity Name	
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ADDRESS SEARCH RESULTS							
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Phone 202-528-0410	Fax		Building		Room		
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CABINETS

- System cabinets (Inbox, Approved Archive, Disapproved Archive, SAF) are now accessible through the menu item "Cabinets".
- Users now have the ability to create sub-cabinets under a top level cabinet for better document organization.
- From inside a System or Personal Cabinet, users can move multiple documents (Batch move) to folders within the respective cabinet.
- System cabinets such as "Approved Archive" or "Disapproved Archive" only appear if the user has approved or disapproved a document in DDD

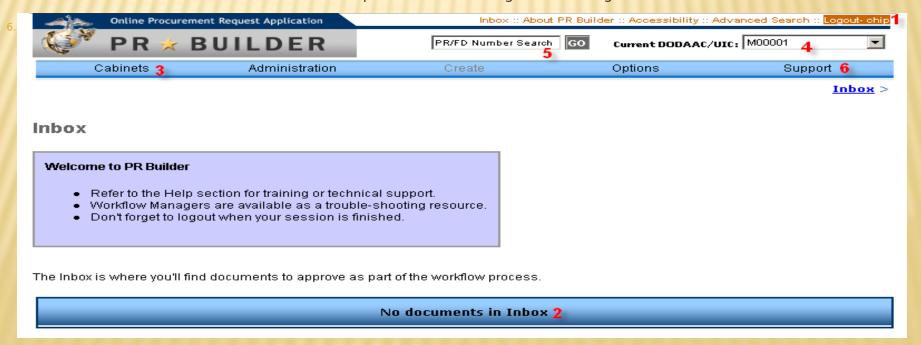


CONTACT WORKFLOW MANAGER

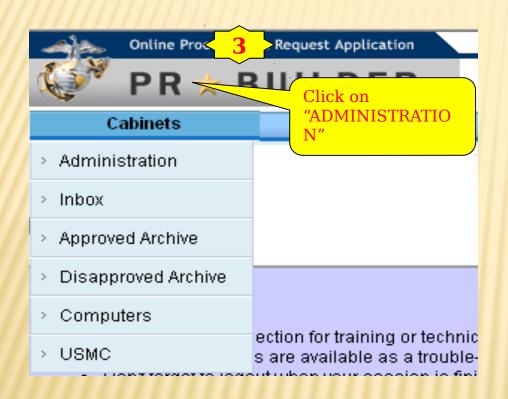
- Have your workflow manager assign your roles and responsibilities.
 - Requirements User
 - Approver
 - Fiscal User
 - Financial Approver
 - Fund Holder Approving Official (FHAO)
 - Workflow Manager
 - Contracting Manager
- Once this is done you are reading to create a Purchase Request

INBOX - PRBUILDER DESKTOP

- Current User/Logout Link shows the current user logged in and provides the link for users to exit out of the system
 properly
- 2. The **Inbox** that was previously in the left navigation bar will be presented on the main page once users log-in. Documents that are waiting for approval will be on the main page, which will be the user's Inbox.
- The **Cabinets** such as user created cabinets and Approved/Disapproved Archive cabinets will be under the menu
 Cabinets. Subfolders are now available to create in the cabinets administration page to give assist users with a better electronic filing system within PRBuilder.
- 4. The **DODAAC** dropdown that displays the DODAAC/UIC/RUC that the user is registered under is located on the top right of the screen
- The **Search** field that is used to search documents to view current status or location is located on the top right of the screen. An **Advanced Search** link is also provided for filtering search categories.

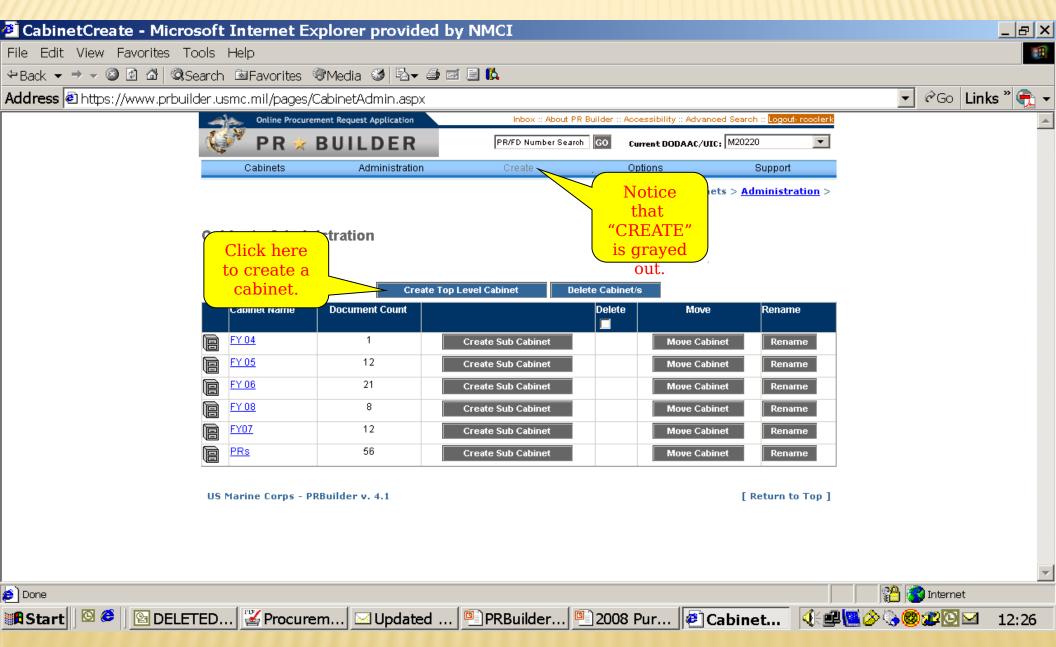


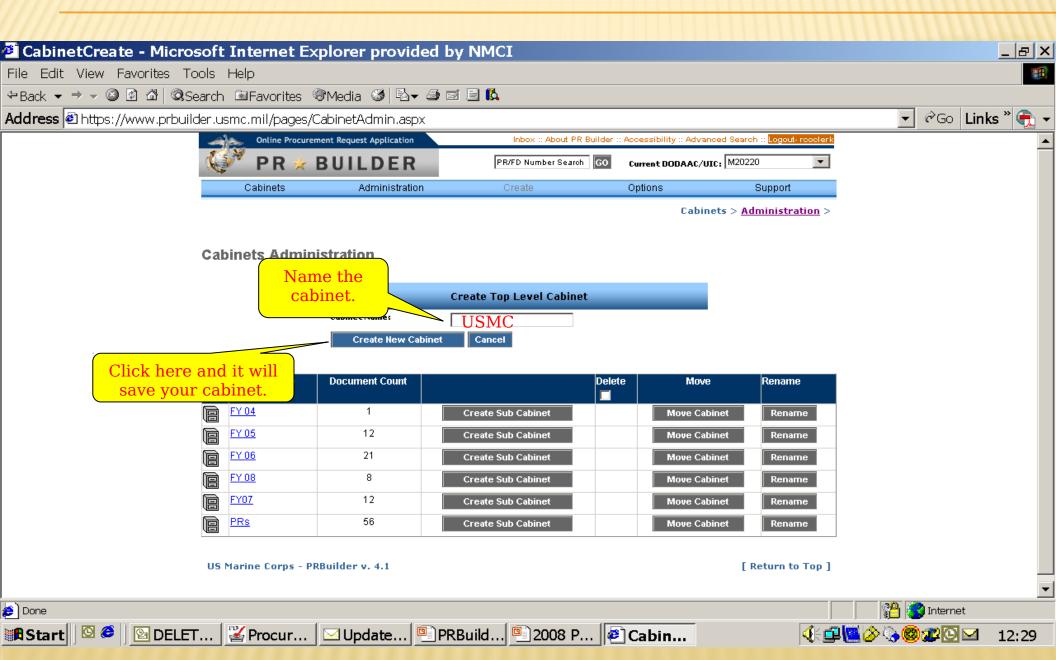
SYSTEM NAVIGATION STARTING A PURCHASE REQUEST



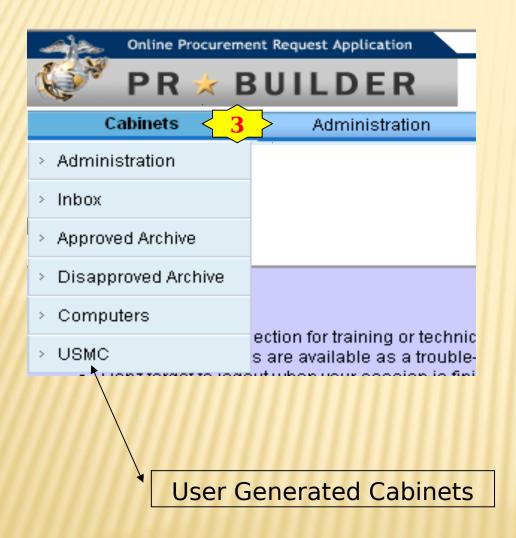
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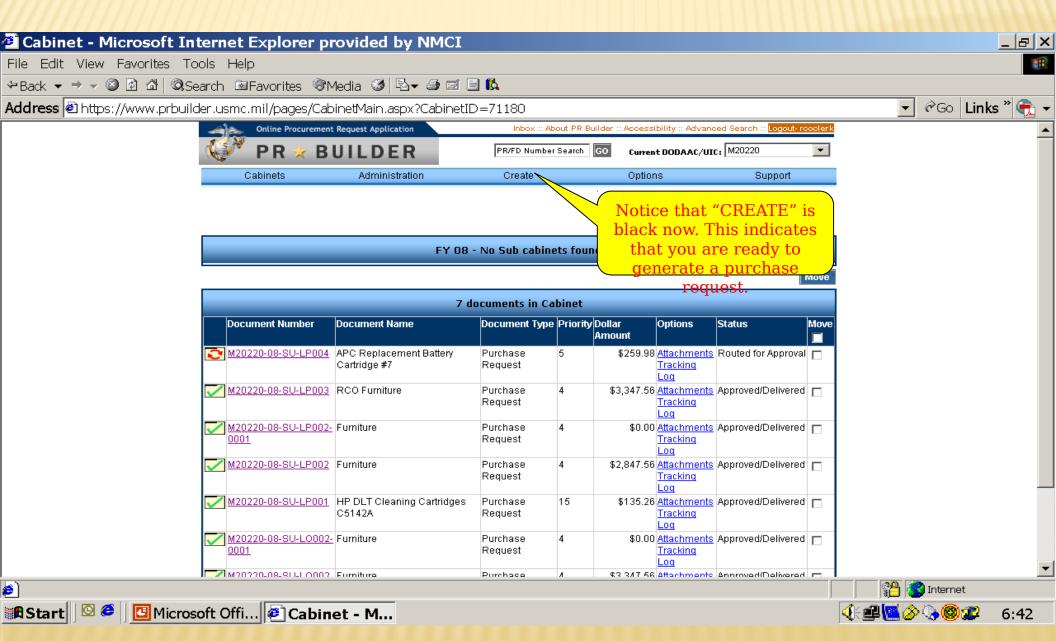


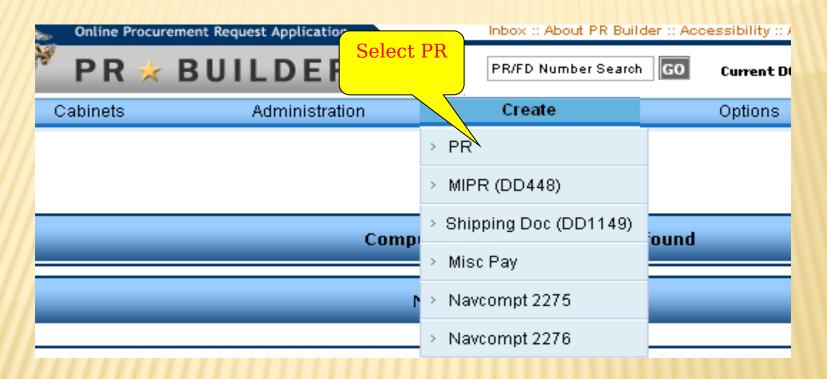
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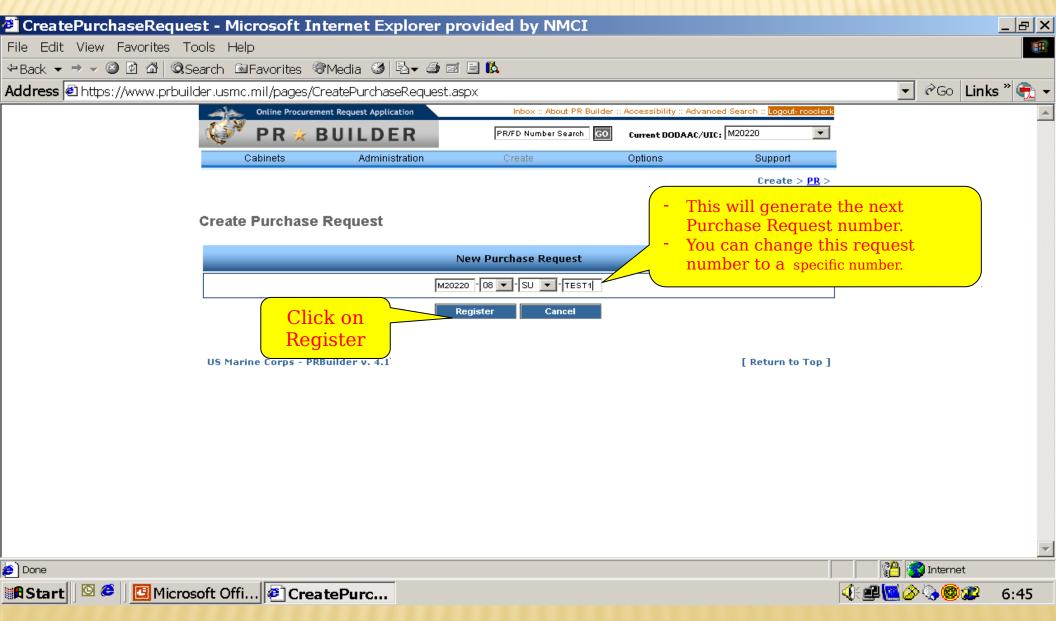
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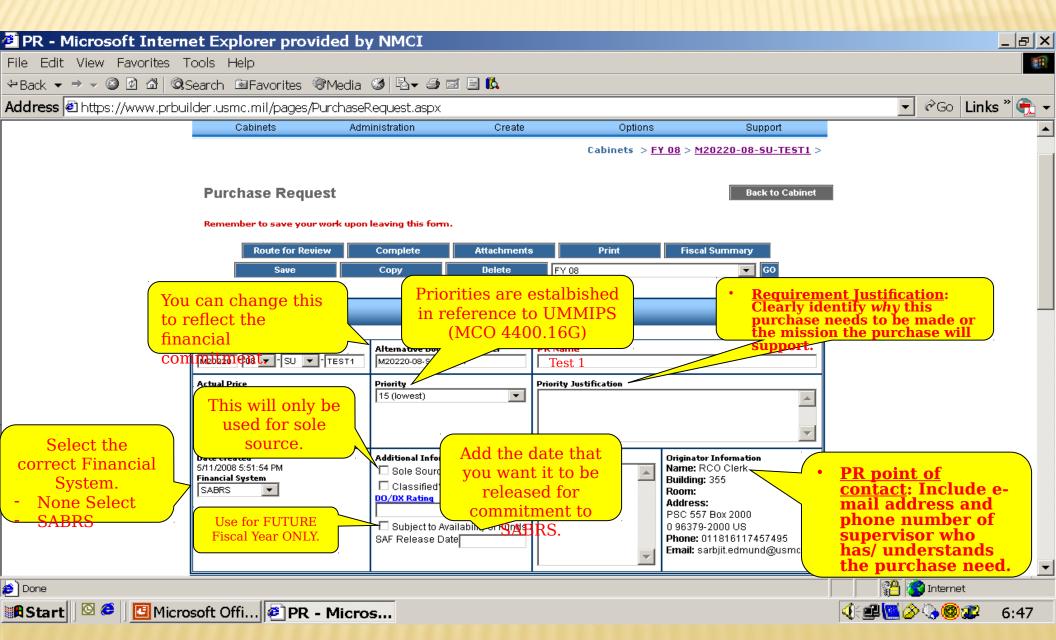


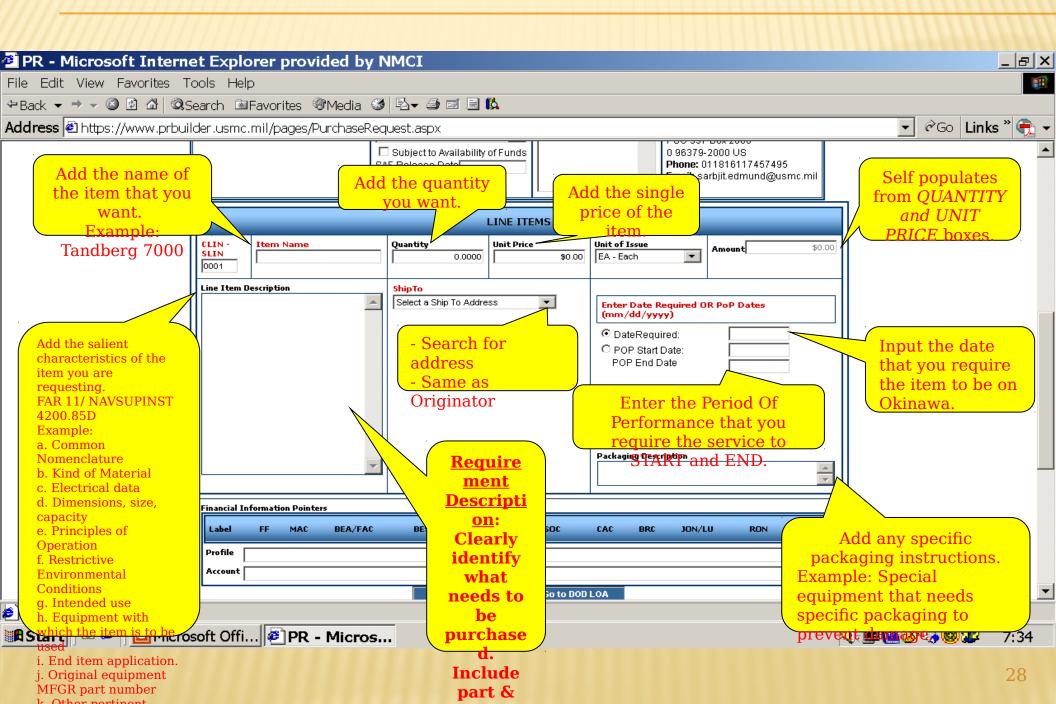


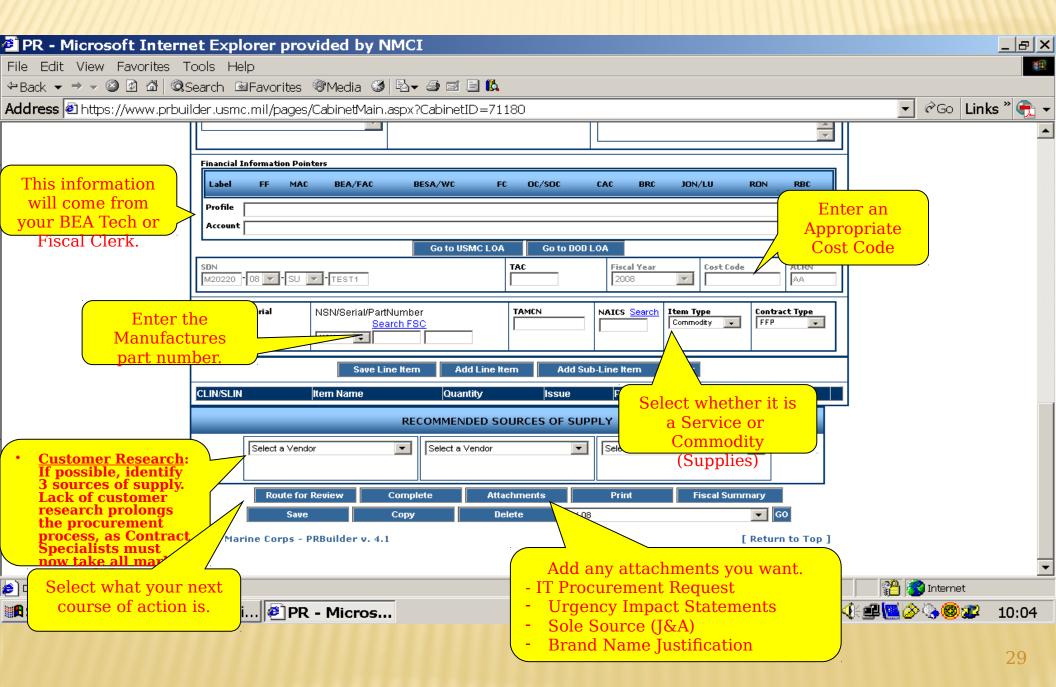
CREATE

- Access to PRs, FDs and Misc Pay documents
- A cabinet **must be open** to access
- ONLY available to Requirements User









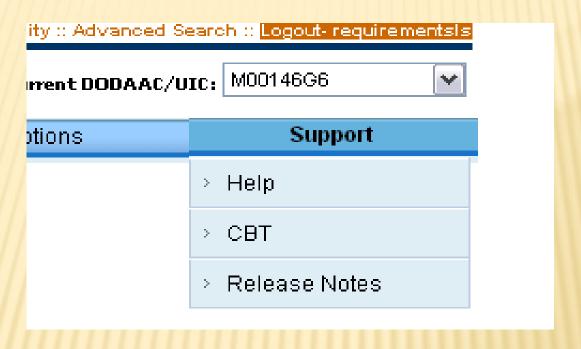
User Roles	Available from the ADMINISTRATION drop-down menu	Functions
Requirements User Approver	◆User ◆Address Book	◆Edit User Profile ◆Change own password ◆Look up TAC addresses ◆Look up Vendors
Fiscal User Financial Approver	◆User ◆FIP ◆Address Book	◆Edit User Profile ◆Change own password ◆Enter FIP Account and FIP Profile ◆Look up TAC addresses ◆Look up Vendors
FHAO	◆User ◆FIP ◆Address Book	◆Edit User Profile ◆Change own password ◆Enter FIP Account and FIP Profile ◆Look up TAC addresses ◆Look up Vendors ◆Upload Signature
Workflow Manager	◆User ◆Workflow Administration	Edit User Profile Create/administer user accounts Change passwords for users Create/administer workflows
Contracting Manager	♦User	Edit User Profile Change own password Setup SPS database and server settings



OPTIONS

Reports – designed to provide specific purchase request information regarding Pending Workload Status, PR Status, Dollar Amounts, SABRS interface statistics, etc.

- **Document Status** Allows any user within a routing workflow to pull the report to view all pending actions (documents currently in a routing workflow) or actions that could be routed to that person that are still in an "In Process" or "Completed" status.
- **Requisition Lead Time Report** Identifies the time from the initial entry of a purchase request to receipt of a ready Request for Contractual Procurement (RCP) in the contracting office (i.e. Final Approver as approved PR in PR Builder).
- Fiscal Report allows user to search documents by fiscal information associated with documents
- Government Commercial Purchase Card (GCPC) Report A report on all actions under \$3,000. This is a management report designed to determine the volume of PR's generated in PR Builder to track and gain approval for credit card purchases.



SUPPORT

- Help the application help file serves as a user guide
- CBT application's web based training
- Release Notes archived release notes from previous versions and most current application release notes

FAQS

- What do I do if a document is disapproved?
 - Change the document status to In-process, then re-route.
- How do I create modifications?
 - Modifications can be done on approved documents only.
- What happens if SABRS rejects the document?
 - Contact Fiscal User/Financial Approver to ensure that the lines of accounting assigned to document is correct.
- What do I do if I need to make changes to documents once I have routed it?
 - Recall the document, as long as it is not in SABRS for validation and it has not been approved by the final approver.

RESOURCES FOR ASSISTANCE

- Password Reset
 - Workflow Managers
 - PRBuilder Help Desk Support
- Workflows Setup
 - Workflow Managers
 - Cross DODAAC Workflows -
- Application Issues
 - PRBuilder Help Desk

RESOURCES CONTACT INFORMATION

- PRBuilder v4.1 Production Site:
 - https://www.prbuilder.usmc.mil
- PRBuilder 24/7 Help Desk Support
 - (877) 452-9058
 - prb.support@prbuilder.usmc.mil

ACCOUNT ACCESS

Session Timeouts

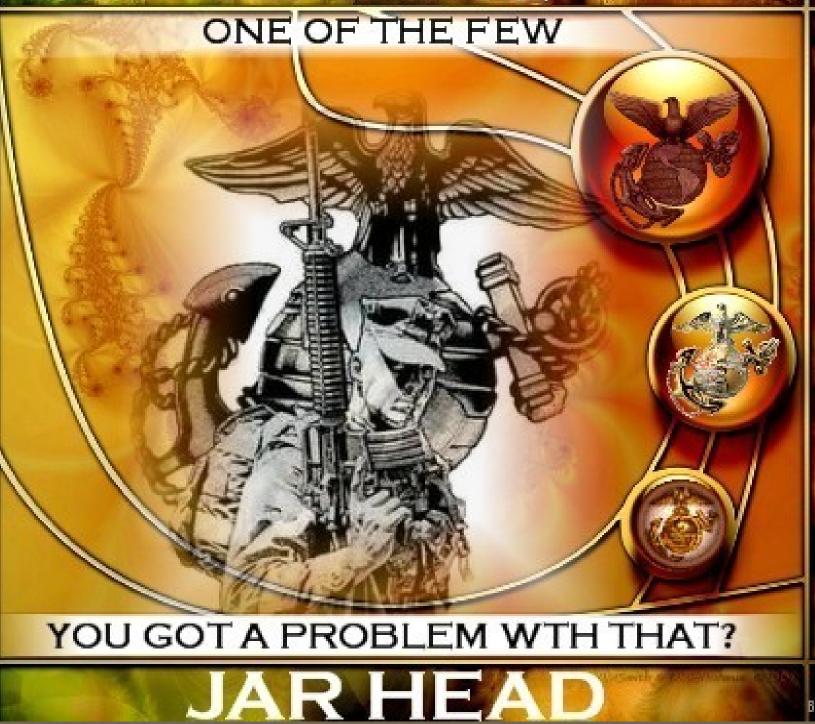
- PRBuilder sessions will time out if there is no activity for 30 minutes
- User is logged out of the application
- Any changes entered on a document will be lost. Always save your document!

User Account Lockouts

- When user gets locked out, 30 minute waiting period before regaining access
- Alternative can call the helpdesk to get account unlocked
- Logout properly to prevent lockouts, do not close the browser before logging out

QUESTIONS?

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